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## EDITOR'S CHAIR.

HOW THINGS LOOK FROM  
OUR STAND POINT.

The Opinion of The Editor and the  
Opinion of Others which we  
Can Endorse on the Various  
Topics of the Day.

The New York Herald, which has  
recently been giving monopolies  
heavier blows and publishing more  
reform matter than any other metro-  
politan daily, says:

"Under the present administration  
of affairs the monopolist is every-  
where and the people are nowhere.  
The masses are ejected and the  
classes are rampant. The rich cap-  
italist can have all he wants if he  
bleeds freely before the nation, but  
the poor man must look out for him-  
self."

This is not a particularly inspiring  
outlook, but we are optimistic enough  
to believe that there will be a grand  
shake up by and by and this crooked  
business be made straight by popu-  
lar indignation."

The Indianapolis News, a pluto-  
cratic paper, says:

"If the workmen had no vote,  
they might be more amenable to the  
teachings of the hard times."

That the above represents the  
sentiments of the News, and thou-  
sands of people of a certain class in  
the country we have no doubt, but  
we are surprised at their boldness in  
coming out and saying so. Plutoc-  
racy, through its heartless and wick-  
ed manipulation of legislation, has  
by oppressing the poor and robbing  
the laborers and wealth-producers,  
instituted an appalling system of  
white slavery, and not satisfied they  
now wish to rob their white slaves of  
their votes. The machine-politician  
in this State robbed many white  
slaves of their votes during the late  
primaries. "Eternal vigilance is  
the price of liberty."

The State Chronicle says:

"Let there be fair and proper  
protection of American industries and  
no more."

That is exactly what the Republi-  
can papers say. And the great sam-  
ple goes on, and no one has yet  
been able to decide what is "fair and  
proper protection." THE CAUCASIAN  
takes the position that the tariff is  
wrong in principle. We are opposed  
to anything that fosters, or even  
tends to foster monopolies, trusts  
and combines. It is amusing to see  
papers, that just a little while back  
were declaring that the tariff was  
the great issue between the parties,  
now trying to get near the Republi-  
cans on the robbing business. The  
force bill is all that is now left for  
them to quarrel over, and we hope  
they will not now favor that and  
join shields with the enemy as Dr.  
Kingsbury suggests.

The Baltimore Sun says:

"Mr. Harrison stands for the Mc-  
Kinley tariff and the Force bill. Mr.  
Cleveland stands for tariff reform  
and home rule. Both favor an hon-  
est dollar."

The Wilmington Messenger copies  
the above and says: "That's it ex-  
actly," and seems to be very much  
pleased that the Democrats and Re-  
publicans are together on the money  
question. The Messenger has in  
many editorials condemned the fi-  
nancial policy of the Republican  
party, but now it is delighted with  
that infamous financial policy and  
is glad that both parties are for  
the same policy. But all this is in keep-  
ing with the recent editorials in that  
paper when it advises the joining of  
the Democrats and Republicans, or  
rather the machine element of both  
parties to prevent the people from  
getting an honest dollar. An hon-  
est dollar is what the people want,  
they condemn the present dollar as  
dishonest and challenge the pluto-  
crats and machine politicians to de-  
fend it. It is a dishonest dollar and  
a Republican dollar, and we can't  
see why Democrats wish to defend  
it. That part of the Democratic  
party that is in favor of the Republi-  
can dollar is opposed to the best  
interests of the people and should  
lose no time in accepting Dr. King-  
sbury's invitation to join the Republi-  
can party.

DIFFERENCES, TOLERATION AND  
HONEST DISCUSSION.

The Webster Weekly, in closing  
a very able editorial, suggested by  
the death of Col. Polk, says:

"What a pity that some of the flow-  
ers which have been laid on the  
tomb of the dead hero by some of  
our brethren of the North Carolina  
press had not been scattered along  
his pathway while living. How  
much easier it would have made his  
task. We cannot miss this oppor-  
tunity to plead with our people for  
more toleration and liberality in  
thought, action and word. Live  
questions are forcing themselves to  
the front and our people must  
discuss and differ on them. Why  
not agree to recognize these differ-  
ences and concede to each other hon-  
esty of purpose?"

MORE DANGEROUS THAN THE FORCE  
BILL.

There is a bill before Congress  
that gives the Post Master-General  
power to suspend the publication of  
any paper in the United States. It  
gives to him, in the language of the  
act, "full authority to declare what  
is non-mailable."

The act itself is vague, indefinite  
and broad in its scope. It mentions  
"meddlesome advertisements." It men-  
tions also "criminal news." If the  
Postmaster-General should con-  
clude that a cure for consumption  
should not be published all he need  
do is to "ring a little bell" and  
say: "Henceforth that paper is non-  
mailable." It may be worth a mil-  
lion dollars, or it may be a strug-  
gling reform paper—off goes its head,  
And there is absolutely no appeal  
from the ukase of the official who  
presides over the post-office depart-  
ment.

Wanamaker has already stopped  
the publication of more than one  
paper on technicalities, and it now  
seems that he wants more power.  
The passage of such a bill and the  
excesses of such power would be  
more dangerous to liberty than the  
Force bill.

## WHICH IS WHICH?

The Cincinnati Herald (organ of  
the People's Party) says:  
Marion Butler, of North Carolina,  
president of the State Alliance, who  
was a delegate to St. Louis, took  
part in all the deliberations of that  
body, was a member of the platform  
committee, and was always smooth-  
ly talking "harmony," has been try-  
ing to turn the Alliance of North  
Carolina over to the Democracy. In  
that he has failed. In a few more  
weeks he, like Livingston, of Geor-  
gia, will have no one to do him hon-  
or. It matters not who the persons  
may be in this move, all traitors will  
go to the wall. These are the days  
of revolution, and the voice of the  
people must be heard.

An exchange, commenting on the  
above, says: "The Democratic pa-  
pers accuse Mr. Butler of trying to  
turn the Democratic party over to  
the Alliance; the People's party  
papers accuse him of trying to turn  
the Alliance over to the Democratic  
party. Truly he seems to be be-  
tween the 'devil and the deep blue  
sea.'"

In the meantime Mr. Butler is  
paying no attention to the criticisms  
of either side, but going forward do-  
ing what he conceives to be his duty  
for the cause of reform. But there  
is one question he would like to ask,  
which is the devil and which is the  
other?"

## PEOPLE'S PARTY.

District Convention Held Last  
Thursday.

2ND DISTRICT.  
The convention for the second  
District was held at Rocky Mount.  
Delegates were elected to the Nation-  
al Convention to meet at Omaha.  
E. A. Thorne, Esq., was nomi-  
nated for Congress. Rev. J. T. B.  
Hoover was elected elector.

3RD DISTRICT.  
The convention of the third Dis-  
trict was held at Fayetteville. Dele-  
gates were elected to the National  
convention. The convention ad-  
journing to meet July 12th to elect  
an elector and consider the advisa-  
bility of nominating a candidate for  
Congress.

4TH DISTRICT.  
The fourth District Convention  
met at Raleigh. The following  
were elected delegates to attend the  
Omaha Convention: G. W. Smith,  
of Nash county; J. J. Bell, of  
Franklin; Eli Goodwin, of John-  
ston; W. A. White, of Randolph;  
A. G. K. Marshburn, of Nash; J.  
W. Alwater, of Chatham; W. H.  
Reaves, of Vance; J. W. Demark,  
of Wake. The convention adjourned  
to meet July 12th to elect an  
elector, and to consider the advisa-  
bility of nominating a candidate for  
Congress.

5TH DISTRICT.  
The Convention for the fifth Dis-  
trict met at Durham and nominated  
W. B. Lindsay (chairman of State  
committee of People's party) for  
Congress. We have not been able  
to learn the names of delegates to  
Omaha and the elector.

8TH DISTRICT.  
The eighth District met at Lenoir.  
Delegates to National convention  
elected. R. S. Patton and others  
prominently spoken of for candi-  
dates for Congress.

9TH DISTRICT.  
The convention for the 9th Dis-  
trict met at Asheville. The follow-  
ing delegates were elected to Omaha:  
Maj. Malone, Col. Yancy, A. M.  
Parker and A. T. Dulo. Four atten-  
dees were also elected. The con-  
vention adjourned to meet at a later  
date to elect an elector and consider  
the question of nominating a candi-  
date for Congress.

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## LIVE SPEECH.

ADDRESS OF CONGRESSMAN  
BRYAN, OF NEBRASKA, AT  
ROANOKE COLLEGE, VA.

## "Young Men in Politics."

At Roanoke College, Virginia,  
last evening, Hon. William J. Bryan,  
of Nebraska, delivered the ad-  
dress before the literary societies.  
After a few introductory remarks  
Mr. Bryan said:

"I have selected for my subject,  
'Young Men in Politics,' because I  
feel that there is a widespread  
heresy in connection with this mat-  
ter that needs correction. There is  
a general impression that politics is  
degrading. People sometimes speak  
of men descending into politics, as  
if it were beneath them. You g-  
men are warned against its contam-  
inating influence. Some boast of the  
fact that they do not have anything  
to do with politics, and count their  
years since they last attended a can-  
didate or primary. Have you not  
heard good people express pity for  
some young man who has entered  
the political arena as the earnest  
champion of a friend, a principle or  
as a candidate himself?"

"I desire to enter my emphatic  
protest against such sentiments as  
these. In a land like ours, where  
the laws are made, interpreted and  
executed by officers elected by the  
people, it is imperatively necessary  
that all should participate in poli-  
tics, and that public service should  
offer its rewards to the best and  
purest in the land. He has lost  
faith in republicanism who does not  
in true democracy who believes that  
it is necessary to deliver the ma-  
chinery of government over to un-  
scrupulous men. There is much in  
partnership, as we sometimes see  
it, in the great statesmen, and who  
but may we not hope that, as the  
years go by, as war questions are  
replaced by economic ones, as men  
begin to realize that the salvation  
of the country does not depend neces-  
sarily upon the issue of slavery, but  
upon the issue of justice, that some  
particular party, the old rule that  
every one of a party must vote for  
every one upon his ticket regardless  
of his qualifications will become ob-  
solete. Duty to country is rising  
above party loyalty. With the in-  
crease of the virtues, the party  
will continue to exist, but they will  
exist as servants, not as masters,  
of the people. Men will learn that  
the best way to preserve a party is  
to elect good men whenever, by man-  
ipulation of the wires, they are able  
to secure nomination."

## PURITY IN POLITICS.

"Purity in politics is not an im-  
possible dream. That corruption  
wins not more than honesty is as  
true of public service as of any other  
department of life. A good name  
is rather to be chosen than great  
riches," said the wise man, and  
nowhere does the statement apply  
with more force than to politics. I  
do not mean that perfection is to be  
found in the ideal, but that the  
virtues of the wires, they are able  
to secure nomination."

"The science of government, for  
that is what politics means, is a  
science, and may well engage the  
attention of every patriotic citi-  
zen. The age of statesmanship is  
not past. It is a mistaken idea that  
the age of revolution is over, or  
times of great excitement or civil  
war, talent of a high order is ap-  
preciated or needed. Sometimes the  
greatest dangers beset the years of  
peace, for confidence begets indiffer-  
ence, and indifference is the fruitful  
soil from which many political  
evils spring. The complaint which  
we often hear of the use of corrupt  
methods in politics is largely due to  
this indifference among the people.  
The absence of upright and honest  
men neglect those duties of citizen-  
ship which are just as imperative  
in times of quiet as in times of war,  
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## POWER OF AN HONEST MAN.

"There is a power in the presence  
of an honest man. Fraud, conscious  
of guilt, avoids his sight. Much  
to be done by the education of  
the people, the press and every educational  
agency can be useful in impressing  
upon such as are indifferent a sense  
of their duty as citizens. Let the  
bribe-taker, let the man who is dis-  
reputable for the rich man to buy  
as for the poor man to sell a vote.  
Let it be as disgraceful for an intelli-  
gent man to corrupt the ignorant

man as it is for the ignorant man to  
be corrupted. Let that man be  
looked upon with suspicion who  
spends more to obtain an office than  
he can honestly make out of it.  
"The Australian ballot has come  
to all in the purification of politics,  
but more remains to be done in the  
popular awakening of the people.  
It is sometimes given a reason for  
the apparent absence of great  
political leaders that there is no op-  
portunity for impassioned eloquence,  
and that the press has taken the  
place of the platform. The  
newspaper since the increased size  
of the audience, and, as for  
eloquence, it will exist whenever  
occasion calls for it.

TWO FORCES CONTINUALLY AT  
WORK.

"The problems of to-day are as  
grave in their nature and as great  
in their magnitude as any that ever  
confronted our ancestors. The prob-  
lems upon whose wise solution depends  
the welfare of the nation. These  
may well employ the time and  
thought of the best and bravest in  
the land. In this, as in all other  
and ancient problems, like ours,  
there are two forces continually at  
work—the centrifugal and the cen-  
trifugal forces. Progress lies in  
the proper equilibrium of the two  
forces. The centrifugal force tends  
to center everything at Washington.  
Follow it too far and the functions  
of local government would be ab-  
sorbed by the general government,  
expenses would be increased, power  
would be removed farther and  
farther from the people, and it  
would become easier and still easier  
for some strong hand to seize the  
reins of government and convert a  
democracy into a monarchy. On the  
other hand, follow the centrifugal  
force too far and the bonds of union  
may be weakened, dissensions may  
arise, and nationality be lost. How  
to maintain local self-government  
and at the same time, to preserve  
an indivisible union of the  
indivisible States, is a problem  
which will confront each succeeding  
generation."

PERSONAL RIGHTS AND STATE  
ACTIVITY.

"Then, too, we must continually  
define the limits of personal rights  
and State activity. With the in-  
crease of the virtues, the party  
will continue to exist, but they will  
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WEALTH IN THE HANDS OF THE  
FEW.

"The young man who loves his  
country cannot but regard with ap-  
prehension the rapid accumulation  
of wealth in the hands of the few.  
Is it not the result of national  
policy? Is it the reward of superi-  
or intelligence, or is it to be attrib-  
uted to unwise legislation, or to the  
absence of laws that should have  
been enacted? Can a man legiti-  
mately acquire the vast wealth of a  
single lifetime more wealth than he  
can count dollar by dollar in his  
lifetime? Does wealth bear its just  
share of the public expense? If not,  
how can it be made to do so? Would  
it be a good thing to have the  
time ripe for an arbitrary limitation  
upon the amount of wealth a person  
may inherit or possess? Where can  
we draw the line between useful  
competence and dangerous opulence?  
How can we encourage thrift and dis-  
courage inordinate avarice? Im-  
portant questions these, any one of  
which might occupy our time. I  
mention these few problems, yet un-  
solved, not to speak of tariff and  
other questions, but to show that  
a number of others, to illustrate  
great work before the politician, and  
to point out how worthy every fac-  
tality may be employed in behalf of  
his country."

"The silver-tongued orator  
of the Greeks, regretted that the gods  
did not add to the vigor of youth  
the wisdom of age. It is a com-  
plaint as old as time, and yet ever  
unavailing. Experience is every-  
where useful, and the value of great  
value than in political life. Nearly  
every great man in history might  
be cited to illustrate the immense  
advantage which extended experi-  
ence and long acquaintance with  
issues and precedents give to the states-  
man. He who begins young is at  
the best opportunities for usefulness."

The speaker then cited the examples  
of John Randolph, Patrick Henry,  
(Continued on Second Page.)

## WHERE HE STANDS.

EXTRACTS FROM EX-PRES-  
IDENT CARR'S ANNUAL  
ADDRESSES TO THE  
STATE ALLIANCE.

How They Interpret the General-  
ities, Enlarge the Meaning  
of the Platform Adopted  
at the Recent State  
Convention.

In the last issue of THE CAUCASIAN we said that the man nomi-  
nated and the views held by him meant  
more always than the wording of  
the platform he stood on, and that  
therefore the nomination of Hon.  
Elias Carr for Governor meant more  
for the cause of reform than the  
strongest platform could if the nom-  
inee were opposed to "equal rights  
to all and special privileges to none."  
We have frequently asked in what  
way the platform was interpreted  
and enlarged by the nomination of  
Mr. Carr. We answer these ques-  
tions by quoting from his two annual  
addresses to the North Carolina  
Farmers' State Alliance. From his  
address delivered at the fourth an-  
nual meeting, which convened at  
Asheville, we make the following  
extracts:

Perhaps the most important meet-  
ing ever held in this country has  
been the assembling of the farmer  
and labor organizations in St. Louis  
in December last (1889) the necessity  
for which was foreshadowed by that  
eminent statesman and jurist, the  
late Judge David Davis, when he  
said, as long ago as 1866: "The rapid  
growth of the corporate power and  
the malign influence which it exerts  
by combination in the National and  
State legislatures is well grounded  
cause of alarm. A struggle is pend-  
ing in the near future between the  
corporate power, with its vast ram-  
ifications all over the Union, and a  
hardy group on much of the political  
machinery on the one hand, and the  
people on the other, for the control of  
the government. It will be watched by  
every patriot with intense anxiety."

Never more prophetic words fell  
from the lips of man! The people,  
though slow to admit it, had at last  
been convinced, and the millions  
of people sent their representatives  
there to form an alliance against this  
monstrous iniquity. The unanimity  
with which the demands set forth  
by that body were adopted, and the  
universal endorsement by all the  
people, show that the people are mat-  
uring and that the time has come  
for deliberation and discussion, should,  
and I believe, will convince our leg-  
islators of our honesty of purpose and  
determination to accomplish our  
ends. This meeting, ladies and  
gentlemen, was a magnificent suc-  
cess in obliterating the old lines  
of sectionalism—a matter desir-  
ably to be wished, and of first im-  
portance in securing the necessary  
national legislation."

What means these labor organiza-  
tions? This: That the people see by  
combination alone can they live.  
Under a pure system of government  
forty years ago these organizations  
were unknown, and there was no  
necessity for them, but to-day how  
different! Every branch of trade has  
been compelled to organize to save  
itself from absolute annihilation,  
and is to be absorbed at when we  
become to learn that the present in-  
iquitous tariff laws, the passage of  
which was purchased by a few thou-  
sand rich manufacturers, have re-  
bbed the people and "ut into the pocket-  
of these same manufacturers no  
less than nine millions of dollars.  
Hence it is, that at our city of Wash-  
ington the protest of a millionaire  
will override the petitions of mil-  
lions of working men."

The acts of Congress in aid of ag-  
riculture for the last twenty-five  
years have been few indeed, com-  
pared with those of our rich man-  
ufacturers, and the tariff is so manip-  
ulated that they (the few thousand  
rich) receive the benefit. We all  
know too well the result of this  
reign of selfish greed. The small  
land owners are being pushed to the  
wall, the larger ones are no longer  
able to make both ends meet, the  
backbone of the country. And how  
is he to share therein, handicapped  
as he is in the race of life, in the severe  
struggle for existence? Handicapped  
by his own ignorance, which he  
so unfortunately evinces when he  
asserts his opposition to that bill,  
which now, in anything but a spirit  
of fair play, is being discussed  
throughout the country—I mean, of  
course, the Sub-Treasury and touch-  
stone bill. I do not think it amiss  
to say we are not wedded to the par-  
ticular phraseology which now charac-  
terizes the bill. We do not pray for  
the passage of that bill unaltered and  
undisturbed, for that would deprive  
us of the opinions and experiences  
of others; but we are attached, yea,  
even committed, to the principles  
involved, and are convinced that  
only after a full and free discussion  
can we arrive at a satisfactory solu-  
tion of the problem. There is pre-  
cedent sufficient of governments loan-  
ing money to the citizen with and  
without security, and thus is estab-  
lished the power to loan, which is  
indeed all sufficient. The kind of  
security does not enter into the case  
—the government can select what it  
considers ample and best calculated  
to relieve the wants of the people.  
It is unaccountable indeed, I cannot  
understand how a man dependent  
upon the sweat of his brow for his  
support, can be so stupid as to

comparison with which all other  
questions sink into utter insignif-  
icance.

I have dwelt longer upon national  
affairs, believing that there, in the  
Capitol at Washington, have origi-  
nated the farmers' woes, and from  
that source alone can come the re-  
medy. Let us continue to insist upon  
our national Congress giving us this  
much needed relief. History teaches  
us that the with which the rich  
bind the poor can be broken  
only by fire, sword or bloody revolu-  
tion. But we have a better meth-  
od in high places. We have free  
speech and free ballot, and when the  
wisdom of the acts of the national  
meeting, like even, to begin work  
upon the masses of the people, then,  
and not till then, shall we have a  
speedy and happy solution of all  
our troubles.

EXTRACTS FROM ADDRESS AT MORE-  
HEAD, 1891.  
Officers and Delegates of the North  
Carolina Farmers' Alliance:  
Since last addressing you, as Pres-  
ident of the State Alliance, it has  
been my great pleasure to watch the  
healthy growth of our Order, and  
the rapid development of the prin-  
ciples we have inculcated."

The unprecedented political up-  
heaval of last November was the  
natural outcome of the doctrine taught  
by the Alliance, and despite the pro-  
tests of our enemies, we can take  
pride in ourselves, and credit to that  
more than glorious onslaught. Truly,  
it was a great work, and well  
may we feel honored, since it was a  
most salutary lesson to the greed of  
capital, the rottenness of govern-  
ment, and the ravings of political  
demagogues. But, though the fu-  
ture seems bright, there is much yet  
to be done. Indeed, when I view  
the dangers which even at the pre-  
sent time surround us, I think I may  
be pardoned for saying that the work  
seems scarcely yet begun. We are  
assailed on every hand by dema-  
gogues, chiefly those in office, whose  
sole object is to perpetuate their  
power, and it matters little by what  
means they effect their purpose. Some-  
times we see them masquerading as  
friends of the farmer, but in reality  
employed by soulless corporations  
to sow the seeds of discontent among  
the great trunk lines, which, like  
a gigantic octopus, are slowly but  
surely absorbing and paralyzing what  
little blood and energy is now left  
unto us.

We have nothing with which to  
fight this formidable combination  
save honest hearts, willing hands  
and that spirit of independence  
which has ever characterized the  
husbandman from the time of Clin-  
ton to the present. I think, I think,  
I do not miss the mark when I say  
that, as a class, we are patient  
and willing, much abused and never  
murmuring, yet when we are aroused,  
as I now trust you all are, the  
hears of the nation are greatly sig-  
nified. But



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### PUBLISHER'S ANNOUNCEMENT.

**How to Advertise.**  
We do not wish large advertisements, but  
a number of small ones for a year. It is not  
size but time that we prefer.

**RATES.**  
Advertisements:  
1 inch 1 week, 25 cts. (in cl.) 1 wk. \$2.50  
1 " 1 mo. \$10.00 " 1 yr. \$75.00  
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1 " 1 yr. \$20.00 " 1 yr. \$150.00  
1 col. 1 week, \$5.00  
1 col. 1 mo. \$15.00 An extra charge is  
made for position.  
SUBSCRIPTIONS:  
One year, \$10.00  
Six months, \$5.00  
Four months, \$3.50  
Wants, Business Locals, Reading Notices,  
Cards, etc., will be inserted at ten cents per  
line (10 words) for first insertion and at five  
cents per line for each subsequent insertion.  
Circulars published free if not more than  
ten lines (100 words). Five cents for each  
additional line (10 words). This charge is  
made, as you will see, simply as a check  
on length.

Communications discussing the topics of  
the day, if to the point and briefly expressed  
will be published in column headed "A Forum  
of Public Opinion."

Communications containing strictly news  
items will always be welcomed and published  
with pleasure. By sending such news  
items frequently you will help both your  
community and this paper. When you wish  
your article changed, give  
address of communication and business  
letters to:

THE CAUCASIAN, Clinton, N. C.  
Matters of a private nature should be  
marked "Personal" and addressed to  
MARION BUTLER,  
Clinton, N. C.

### STATE DEMOCRATIC TICKET

FOR GOVERNOR:  
ELIAS CARR,  
of Edgecombe.

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR:  
R. A. DAUGHTON,  
of Alleghany.

FOR SECRETARY OF STATE:  
OCTAVIUS COKE,  
of Wake.

FOR TREASURER:  
DONALD BAIN,  
of Wake.

FOR AUDITOR:  
R. M. FURMAN,  
of Buncombe.

FOR SUFF. PUBLIC INSTRUCTION:  
J. C. SCARBOROUGH,  
of Johnston.

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL:  
FRANK L. OSBORNE,  
of Mecklenburg.

FOR JUDGE TWELFTH DISTRICT:  
GEORGE A. SHUFFORD.

FOR ELECTORS AT LARGE:  
CHARLES B. AYCOCK,  
ROBERT B. GLENN.

### CONVENTIONS.

National People's, Omaha, July 4.

National Prohibition, St. Louis, June 28.

"Young Men in Politics," is

the subject of a speech delivered

by Congressman Bryan, of

Nebraska, at the commence-

ment of Roanoke College, Va.,

last week. Mr. Bryan is less

than 30 years of age, and has

already made a national repu-

tation in Congress. It is a live

speech, and shows much insight

into the real conditions of the

present. He has the elements

of a reformer in him, and will

do good work for truth and good

government if the politicians

don't fossilize him.

When the rich man buys gov-

ernment bonds with greenbacks,

worth 60 cents on the dollar,

and the government enacts a

law making those bonds pay-

able in coin worth 100 cents on

the dollar, that's justice and

equity. But when a farmer

borrow \$1000 on a farm worth

\$2000, and the government con-

tracts the money value until

the farm is worth only \$1000

and the mortgage is foreclosed,

and the money lender gets the

whole farm, that's FINANCIERING.

—Cin. Herald.

Mr. W. J. Peele, one of the

brightest young men in North

Carolina, announces that after

July 4th he will issue each

week a Financial News Letter

in a small paper to be known

as The Financial News Letter.

Mr. Peele is well informed on

the financial problem of the

day, and is a writer of consid-

erable force and directness.

He was born a reformer, is still

a reformer in spite of training

and environments. He proposes

to furnish the paper at the low

price of 50 cents a year, and all

those who have ever read any

of Mr. Peele's writing know in

advance that they will get more

than the worth of their money.

See his announcement in an-

other column.

Piles! Piles!! Itching Piles!!!

SYMPTOMS—Moisture; intense it-

ching and stinging; most at night;

worse by scratching. If allowed to

continue, tumors form, which often

ulcerate, becoming very

disagreeable. Ointment stops

## N. C. BOYS AT PANTOP'S ACADEMY.

At the closing exercises of  
Pantop's Academy in Virginia,  
we notice that Henry T. Sharp,  
of Wilmington, received the  
debaters, scholastic and good  
conduct medals; F. B. Johnson,  
of Clinton, N. C., son of our  
townsman Mr. A. F. Johnson,  
received certificates of distinc-  
tion and good conduct medals;  
O. L. Barringer, of Charlotte,  
N. C., received distinctions.

### DR. KINGSBURY SUGGESTS

That the Democrats join with the  
"Black and Tan Party" to De-  
feat Reform.

[From Wilmington Messenger, June 23.]

"It may come to pass yet that

the Democrats and Republicans

may have to get together to

save the country from the rule

and ruin party of impractica-

ble. It may yet become a ne-

cessity that the two old parties

shall lock shields in opposi-

tion to financial cranks and revo-

lutionists who seem bent on de-

stroying the Republic. When

the Government is threatened

to be transformed into a regu-

lar huge pawn broker's shop

and into a Strong Government

despotism it is high time for

the patriots of the country to

combine for its salvation."

### N. C. BOYS AT ROANOKE.

We are pleased to note that

North Carolina boys took a

prominent position at the Com-

mencement of Roanoke College,

Va., and won honors there.

The salutary was delivered

by John Luther Riddleman, of

Salisbury, N. C. Among the

addresses was one by Edward

V. Cox, of Dunn, N. C., on "Na-

tional Control of Railroads,"

and one by Herbert M. Smith,

of Conover, N. C., on "The

Failure of Invention." The

degree of Master of Arts was

conferred upon E. A. Smith, of

Conover, N. C., and P. E.

Wright, of Euclidville, N. C.

The contest for the medal in

Greek resulted in a tie, and as

the grades were nearly a maxi-

mum a medal was awarded to

each of the contestants—Carroll

H. Little, of Hickory, N. C., and

Jerry C. Stone, of Dublin, Va.

A certificate of first distinction

was also awarded to Mr. Little,

and certificates of second dis-

tinction to Mr. Lamm, of Luc-

ama, N. C., and C. L. Miller, of

Gold Hill, N. C.

It was at the commencement

of this college that Congress-

man Bryan delivered the ora-

tion "Young Men in Politics,"

which we publish in another

column.

### THE FORCE BILL TO BLIND ECONOMIC QUESTIONS.

The Republicans at their Na-

tional Convention made the

Force bill the leading issue.

They place it above Protection

and everything else. It is the

only positive issue in their plat-

form. This was a clear ac-

knowledgment that they were

wrong on economic questions,

and could not vindicate their

record or sustain their position

before the people. In short

they ran from the real issues

before the country. They put

up a scare-crow, a red shirt to

irritate the bull. This was

shrewdly done to draw off the

fight from their weakest points.

Will this strategy on their part

succeed? Will the Democrats

at Chicago this week be caught

in the trap? Will they leave

## tion will condemn the Republic.

by ignoring the Force bill,  
and attack them in their weak  
point by writing a platform  
squarely and in plain and un-  
equivocal terms that is for an  
honest reform in our financial  
system, and against the robber  
tariff, and put a clean man on  
the platform who represents  
and will stand for the princi-  
ples of the platform, the Dem-  
ocratic party will sweep the  
country because it deserves to  
do so. It will win, New Eng-  
land or no New England, New  
York or no New York. Will it  
have the wisdom and the hon-  
esty to do it? We will see.

### GETTING UNPERVERTED.

We are beginning to have

some hopes that the Democracy

of the Charlotte Chronicle and

the Statesville Landmark

will, sooner or later, get entire-

ly unperverted. In a recent is-

ssue the editor says:

"The nomination of Mr. Elias

Carr has been received, if not

with great enthusiasm, at least

with gratifying cordiality. He

cannot fail to be a most accepta-

ble candidate to Democratic Al-

liancemen because he is him-

self a worthy and loyal Allian-

ceman; he is acceptable to non-

Alliance Democrats because he is

a Democrat."

We are glad to see this; it is

quite an improvement. Mr. Eli-

as Carr stands squarely for ev-

ery one of the Ocala demands—

Sub-Treasury and all. Yes, he

is a worthy and loyal Ocala

Democrat, and he is very ac-

ceptable to Mr. Caldwell.

Dr. Kingsbury says no Demo-

crat can believe in the Sub-

Treasury, pawn-broker business.

So Mr. Carr is not acceptable to

him.

Allow us to congratulate you,

Mr. Caldwell, upon your pro-

gress. Your Democracy has

been unperverted, and you will

not have to leave the party and

with the black and tans when

John Dr. Kingsbury & Co. go.

Can't you now help us to un-

pervert the Messenger and some

others?

### RAILROAD INFLUENCE IN POLITICS.

Are the Railroads in such

mortal dread of Government

ownership, that causes them to

raise such a howl and to turn

their power to crush every man

who is discussing the question?

No, they do not fear Govern-

ment ownership, but they fear

that the discussion of the ques-

tion will turn on the light, will

give the people some informa-

tion as to their methods, &c.

They do not dare to fight a man

simply because he is turning on

the light, but they try to pre-

judice the people against such a

man by crying out that he is in

favor of centralization and such

stuff. How ridiculous! For a

man who is in favor of central-

ization, trusts, combines and

monopolies is their friend.

Railroads don't fight their

friends, but take care of them.

How cheeky for the arch con-

spirators of centralization, trusts,

combines and monopolies to

raise this cry against any

one. What do Railroads care

for the fundamental principles

of Government, unless its fun-

damental principles favor mo-

noplies unrestricted and ex-

empt from taxation? What do

Railroads care for Democracy?

Democracy will not serve

their selfish ends than they are

## They will defeat him if possible.

They wish to make an  
example of him, such as will  
say, plainer than words to every  
other man, "If you wish to suc-  
ceed in public life you must be  
with or for us." The people  
must not allow it. They must  
fight for their man just as hard  
as the Railroads fight against  
him.

### THE A. M. & A. COLLEGE.

The Agricultural and Mechanical

College has now been open three

years. The first class will graduate

next year. The third commence-

ment took place last week. Dr. Da-

bney delivered the address. We make

the following extracts from the re-

port of his speech. He said:

"There was a common idea that

patriots were to be found only in

the armies or navies of the world. There

is a greater need of patriots in the

laboratories and halls of learning of

the land."

### TWO THINGS ESSENTIAL FOR SUCCESS.

"Two things are essential in polit-

ical success. First, the man must be

prepared for the emergency, and

second, the emergency must come.

To the young man who is edu-

cating without affection, deep con-

science without egotism, self respect

without servility, without servility

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**COUNTY OFFICERS.**  
J. S. Bizzell, Sheriff Superior Court.  
J. M. Spelt, Clerk Superior Court.  
O. H. Herring, Register of Deeds.

**TOWN OFFICERS.**  
R. C. Holmes, Mayor.  
A. V. Royal, Policeman.  
Dr. R. H. Holliday, Treasurer.  
D. M. Patrick, Clerk.  
R. C. Holmes, R. H. Holliday, D. M. Patrick, J. C. Herring, H. J. Williams, Commissioners.

**POST OFFICE.**  
Clinton Ward, P. M., opens 6:00 A. M., closes 9:00 P. M. Mails close at 8 A. M. and 2:50 P. M.

**PRINTING OFFICE.**  
Caucasian Job Office, on Fayetteville Street, next Alliance Store, Bill Heads, Letter Heads and Envelopes, Posters and Programmes, Mortgages, etc.

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A New Thing - A. F. Johnson.

## LOCAL ITEMS:

The infant child of Mr. J. S. Bizzell is better.

Mayor Holmes has moved into his new residence on College Street.

Mrs. A. E. Murphy is building a kitchen to her already spacious hotel.

We are glad to learn that Mrs. J. A. Branan, who has been quite sick, is improving.

The Colored Training School at Faison, N. C., J. N. Bennett Principal, closed today.

Rev. Mr. Wooten will preach in the Episcopal church next Sunday morning and Sunday night.

Mrs. Maria Marable, who has been threatened with an attack of fever, is now out of danger.

Dr. Moore has been appointed doctor for the county to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Dr. Holliday.

The town authorities are having the trees on the square white washed, which gives things a very neat and much improved appearance.

We know the scarcity of money in the county, and those who wish to pay their subscription can do so in corn and meat at the market prices.

Mr. W. G. Hubbard has been elected one of the Town Commissioners to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. J. C. Slocumb.

We acknowledge receipt of invitation from Bro. Kernode, editor of The Alliance Gleaner, to attend the Summer Races at the Alliance Fair Grounds July 4th.

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-We congratulate our young townsman Mr. Ferdie Johnson on high stand at his school for the past year. In addition to receiving the general deportment and conduct medal, he received special distinction in each one of his studies. Quite a compliment which we feel sure he highly merited.

-Mr. Edw. Johnson, who for more than twenty years has been addicted to the whiskey habit, returned Monday from Keely Institute. He says he has no desire for whiskey and feels that he is cured of the disease - for it was nothing less than a disease. Keely is doing a noble work for humanity, but if he were ever to be a candidate for an office, the whiskey influence would combine to down him just as the Railroad influence is now being used to defeat Congressmen Alexander and other men, who are standing for the people against the usurpations of monopoly.

-The Colored Training School at Faison, N. C., J. N. Bennett Principal, closed today.

Rev. Mr. Wooten will preach in the Episcopal church next Sunday morning and Sunday night.

Mrs. Maria Marable, who has been threatened with an attack of fever, is now out of danger.

Dr. Moore has been appointed doctor for the county to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Dr. Holliday.

The town authorities are having the trees on the square white washed, which gives things a very neat and much improved appearance.

We know the scarcity of money in the county, and those who wish to pay their subscription can do so in corn and meat at the market prices.

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## Wants a Pair of Names.

Mr. Nathan Barefoot, of whom we mentioned last week, says that he will give the person who will send him the suitable names for the twins by July 1st, 1892, a pair of the finest Plymouth Rock Chickens in this section of the country. His postoffice is "Mines," Sampson county, N. C. Ye editor will try for the chickens. - Dunn Times.

(Are they two of a kind? If so, which? Ed. CAUCASIAN.)

## BANK STOCKHOLDERS HOLD A MEETING.

Trying to Stop Lawsuits and Settle the Trouble.

The stockholders of the Clinton Loan Association held a meeting in Clinton Tuesday. A majority of the stock was present or represented. A resolution was passed to the effect that each stockholder should guarantee to become responsible for the indebtedness of the bank to the amount of the stock held by each in addition to the stock held. This will probably guarantee an amount sufficient to cover all indebtedness we are told. If this is so, it will make all lawsuits started unnecessary and put the business in such a shape that receiver Dunn can proceed to wind up the business satisfactorily. A committee composed of Messrs. H. E. Faison, T. M. Lee, Abram Hobbs and J. L. Stewart, was appointed to see stockholders not present and urge them to agree to the same policy. This committee will also represent the stockholders in an executive capacity until the next meeting of the stockholders, which will be on July 7th. A committee was also appointed to wait on Mr. A. F. Johnson and to offer a compromise settlement with him of the amount that it has been claimed that he owed. The stockholders have shown a proper spirit. Now would it not be well for the depositors to meet them part of the way with some equitable compromise? We think if the stockholders and depositors can have an understanding this whole very troublesome and complicated matter might soon be settled without long delay and heavy cost in lawsuits.

**PERSONALS.**  
Miss Maggie Giddens is visiting in Goldsboro.

Mr. O. P. Middleton, of Warsaw, was in town this week.

Miss Bettie Evans spent last week at Mr. R. J. Pearsall's.

Mr. E. L. Faison left Monday for her cottage at Ocean View.

Mr. A. H. Hubbard, of Pender, was here a few days last week.

Mr. W. L. Holmes returned last week for a few days rest at home.

Messrs. Marion Butler and Elliott Lee were in Faison last Sunday.

Mrs. B. F. Grady, of Wallace, is in town visiting at Mr. J. S. Bizzell's.

Mr. D. B. Nicholson has returned from the Buffalo Lithia Springs in Virginia.

Miss Lena Wyane, of Raleigh, is on a visit to Messrs. Agnes and Bessie Patrick.

Miss Beadie Patrick returned Friday from Norfolk, where she has been at school.

Mr. T. H. McKoy, of Morristown, Tenn., is visiting his mother. His wife is also here on a visit.

Judge E. T. Byrka and Masters Edna and Swift, are spending several days at the South, fishing and sailing.

Mr. Marion Butler left yesterday for Raleigh, to attend the meeting held there to organize a Polk Memorial Association.

Mr. D. B. Nicholson, of Wilmington, spent a few days here this and last week visiting his brother, Major R. C. Holmes.

Mr. D. B. Nicholson, who has been to Buffalo Lithia Springs with Col. I. A. Powell, returned Monday. Col. Powell is improving some.

Miss Willie Bangardner and Mr. Edward Faison, left last Friday for Ocean View, where they are to join Mrs. Bangardner at their cottage.

W. L. Waters, of Warsaw, an intelligent colored man, visited Clinton last Thursday, and was the guest of J. S. Wilson, a colored merchant of Clinton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnson and little Miss Bettie and Rena, leave this morning for Wrightsville Sound, where Mrs. Johnson and the children will spend the summer.

Messrs. J. K. Morrissey, W. S. Holmes, D. M. Patrick and Matt J. Pearsall, left Tuesday for Morehead, where they are to spend a few days at the Teachers Assembly.

A. R. Barnes, colored, of Duplin county, was in Clinton on Tuesday last. He is a thorough going teacher of that county. He attended the Colored Normal Institute.

Miss Rena Stewart, who attended school at Richmond last year, and for the past week visiting her sister Mrs. H. W. Battle, at Petersburg, Va., returned last Wednesday evening.

Mr. Robt. Williams, of Taylor's Ridge, who has been at the A. and M. College at Raleigh, returned last Friday. We are glad to hear of his high stand at that institution.

Rev. Dr. J. B. Mack, of S. C., spent a few days with Dr. McKinnon last week. He was on his way to Goldsboro, where he is to marry his son, Rev. Edward Mack, of Charlotte, to Miss Mary Ashby Kirby, daughter of Dr. Geo. L. Kirby.

**A Disfigured Countenance.**  
Many people who would scarcely notice an armless or legless man will instantly detect and remark on any blemish of the human face, and give into all sorts of speculations as to its cause and attendant circumstances. If you doubt this assertion become possessed of a discolored eye and note how much attention it will invite. A black eye is generally avoidable, but blotches, pimples and other unsightly and eruptive marks steal upon us without warning, and are frequently the first intimation of the fact that our blood is going wrong. A prompt and systematic use of P. P. P. (Prickly Ash, Poke Root and Potassium), will purify the blood, cleanse the skin and give back to the face nature's familiar, ruddy signs of health. Get it of your druggist.

## ALL THROUGH SAMPOX.

(Continued from Fourth Page)

**NEWTON GROVE.**  
The weather has become warm and farmers are looking in congenial "growing crops," and they are working manfully, and educating in Alliance literature as well, also sending their children to school. Education is the watchword, and let it be the motto ringing long and loud all along the agricultural lines until every intellect is cultivated to a high intellectual standard.

We have been asked time and again about Hon. J. M. Newborn's Alliance speech delivered recently at Gosden M. E. Church and to satisfy even the curious enemy to our cause, allow us to state that it was unusually pleasing and one of great power, pith and practicality - it handled it most masterly. It was timely eloquent and appealed strongly to the good sense of the Alliance. The unanimous verdict could not be otherwise, that it was undoubtedly good and a perfect success in the fullest sense.

His bearing commands respect; his hearty greeting wins popularity. There are scores of such men in the Order, and being duly brought to the front, men of nerve and intellect climbing the "Napoleonic" ladder to honor and to fame! The members have a cause to be proud of such hosts of able men and of a cause the greatest and grandest of modern times.

Died, at his residence in Wayne county, Mr. Richard Rayner, in his eighty-first year. He had been a man of indomitable will-power and untiring energy, and accumulated a handsome fortune to be swept away, like hundreds of others at the approach of an invading and victorious army. It took him as it did others very many years to adapt himself to the new order of things. He was a devoted husband, a kind and indulgent parent, loving his family so well that he knew not how to deny them the least favor, also universally respected by all who knew him. Requiescat in pace.

**FRANKLIN.**  
Crops are fine in this section, especially corn and cotton. Farmers are very busy "laying by" their corn, as it is nearly time to get through.

We are having very nice seasons so far. Occasionally a shower, which of course, makes the grass grow.

Miss Eliza Faison has returned home from a visit to friends in or near Goldsboro, N. C.

Misses Mittie Monroe and Meads Stewart, of Wilmington, are visiting Miss Sarah Melvin. We wish them a pleasant stay among us.

Miss Kittie Barden, of Fayetteville, is visiting Miss Mittie Johnson.

Mr. Editor, we want to see "Franklin" in your columns often.

Truly yours,  
M.

(It is your fault and the fault of every one in your township. We hope hereafter to hear from Franklin each week. - Edmon.)

**LISBON.**  
It has been several weeks since we have sent a line to you. If our letter does not suit you push it in your waste basket. It was painful to learn of Col. Polk's death. "Now the flag of life is furled, and the voyage of life is over," doubts even his political enemies can find much in his life to admire. It was not the pleasure of this humble scribe to be personally acquainted with him, but we know he was the poor man's friend. In his death America is called on to mourn one of the ablest, truest, purest men of the nineteenth century. In the language of another we could truthfully say of him, "That great man's memory will never die. His name will be wrought high on monumental walls, and often inscribed in page, and unborn millions will proclaim the wonder of his fame." We believe Col. Polk was a Christian, and was prepared to meet his God. "Beyond the pale white stars beyond the sunlight, we trust



# THE CAUCASIAN.

(CLINTON, N. C.—JUNE 23, 1892.)

## CO RRECT COPY.

Some persons and newspapers have been charging that the St. Louis demands of the Alliance contained a "soldier's plank," and other things that would be objectionable to many people. They have tried to prejudice people against the Alliance by such misrepresentations. The following is a correct and official copy of the St. Louis demands:

## PLATFORM.

### FINANCE.

First—We demand a national currency, safe, sound and flexible, issued by the general government only, a full legal tender for all debts, public and private, and that without the use of banking corporations a just, equitable and efficient means of distribution direct to the people at a tax not to exceed 2 per cent, be provided, as set forth in the sub-treasury plan of the Farmers' Alliance, or some better system; also, be payments in discharge of its obligations for public improvements.

a. We demand free and unlimited coinage of silver. b. We demand that the amount of circulating medium be speedily increased to not less than \$50 per capita.

c. We demand a gradual income tax.

d. We believe that the money of the country should be kept as much as possible in the hands of the people, and hence we demand all National and State revenue shall be limited to the necessary expenses of the Government economically and honestly administered.

e. We demand that postal savings banks be established by the Government for the safe deposit of the earnings of the people and to facilitate exchange.

### LAND.

Second—The land, including all the natural resources of wealth, is the heritage of the people and should not be monopolized for speculative purposes, and alien ownership of land should be prohibited. All land now held by railroads and other corporations in excess of their actual needs, and all lands now owned by aliens, should be reclaimed by the Government and held for actual settlers only.

### TRANSPORTATION.

Third—Transportation being a means of exchange and a public necessity, the Government should own and operate the railroads in the interest of the people.

a. The telegraph and telephone, like the post office system, being a necessity for transmission of news, should be owned and operated by the Government in the interest of the people.

The above is certified to by the whole North Carolina delegates to the St. Louis Convention. The delegates were as follows: Marion Butler, J. F. Brinson, Rev. J. C. Hoover, W. C. Wilcox, E. C. Beddingfield, P. H. Massey, J. F. Johnson, A. C. Shuford, H. M. Kent, Rev. J. C. Brown.

There are people who wish to oppose the Alliance and not being able to do so fairly or meet its speakers in argument, stoop to misrepresentation and abuse.

## SECRET BALLOT LAW.

At the last State Alliance meeting at Morehead the following resolution was adopted: "We demand of our General Assembly at the next session, the passage of a secret ballot law, with a provision in said law that will secure to voters who cannot read an opportunity to vote."

This is a very important demand, and each Sub-Alliance is expected to take this matter up and discuss it and act upon it. Thousands of voters are carried to the polls and voted as their landlords dictate, for fear of being discharged. With a secret ballot, the minor, the workman in manufacturing establishments, and all others who fear the discharge from employment, can vote without any one knowing how he voted. It breaks the machine.—Special Informer.

### How is This?

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## "AN ANNOUNCEMENT."

What Lawyer Peele Proposes to Do.

The following announcement was published in last week's "Progressive Farmer":

I have made up my mind that I ought to give a portion of my time to the people, until certain questions now attracting widespread attention are settled.

I cannot well practice law and edit a newspaper at the same time, and as I do not intend to quit the practice of law, (for the people at all times need a friend acquainted with its technicalities) at the same time I intend to write one letter a week upon the vital issues of public policy now under discussion, and this I can do without serious trespass on my professional duties.

This letter I intend to issue on a special sheet about the size of The Special Informer. This sheet will be called The Financial News Letter, and will contain, besides the letter referred to, some notes and comments relating to financial and other needed reforms, together with quotations and extracts from the most celebrated authors on these subjects. I shall take great pains to say much in a little. It is not how much, but what you read that will determine your knowledge of a question. A great reformer once accused the moss back politician (the pharisees) of rendering the word of God of no effect by their traditions.

He had piled upon the people a subtle distinction, a mountain high upon the truth, and nothing but the lightning of Divine Inspiration could have pierced down to it. The traditions of our fossil politicians are piled mountain high upon the truths of financial reform. The air is thick with the darkness of their abuse and misunderstanding.

They have loaded down every reform dear to the hearts of the people with the avarice of selfishness and the meanness of personal ambition, until it is hard for a full sized man to hold any office of trust or profit in this State, bargain and counter-bargain, trickery and chicanery disgrace every convention which they control or influence.

In the beginning God said let there be light and there was light, and there must be light. Only in the darkness of partisan fury, of sectional hate, of inflammatory color line speeches of personal politics and of campaign lying can the people now suffer flourish, increase and multiply.

The subscription price of The Financial News Letter will be twenty-five cents for six months, and fifty cents for one year. The first issue will be on the 4th of July, 1892, or as soon thereafter as the subscriptions warrant. It is my special desire, and it seems to be fit and proper that it should begin like the liberties of the people it will seek to defend on that great day. I shall have many things to say which ought to be said, and I hope will be felt throughout North Carolina, and far as the curse of monopoly be found.

I would suggest that as far as possible the friends of financial reform organize clubs. I cannot send the News Letter to them any cheaper than to single subscribers, but it will facilitate the sending in of the subscription price, which must otherwise be sent in small amounts, for by adding several small amounts together, one postoffice order or registered letter will do for all. Every citizen of North Carolina known to be an earnest believer in a financial reform is hereby authorized to form one club of from four to a dozen subscribers. Address W. J. Peele, Raleigh, N. C., postoffice box No. 374.

Whenever a club is so formed, I hope it will elect a chairman and keep up the organization, as I may have some rare work for it to do in an organized capacity before this business is over. A little meeting of such a club every week or two to discuss financial matters, cannot fail to do good.

The principal of boiling everything down to its smallest possible compass has perhaps never been tried in North Carolina journalism, but its application is greatly needed. The people now want light upon a particular point of scrutiny and study. They will read the news in an hundred other newspapers, therefore I will not undertake to do a thing that is already overdone.

As the battle grows hotter I may enlarge the News Letter from time to time, and if so, I will employ the most talented young man I can find in the State or out of it, with nothing else to do but devote his whole time to it. As soon as your eye falls on this article, send your subscription by return mail if possible, for there is no time to lose.

### W. J. PEELE.

## All Through Sampson.

What Sampsonians are Doing and Saying.

Send us the news from your township for this column. Every subscriber to this paper has a right and is requested to contribute items of news in "this" neighborhood for this column. We will not publish your name unless you desire it.

### MINGO.

The Dunn Times says: "One of Sampson county's talented sons, Prof. J. T. Alderman, Superintendent of the Schools in Reidsville, N. C., was in town Sunday. He addressed the Baptist Sunday school in a short but most excellent manner, his remarks being on the method of improving the Sabbath School."

I had the pleasure of taking a trip up to Raleigh last week and found crops poor indeed. The best cotton and corn I have seen is in Mingo. We are not dead up here.

I had the pleasure of attending the closing exercises of the Benson High School on the 27th of May, which was a very rich thing indeed. The annual address was delivered by Prof. Ira Turlington, of Smithfield. The exercises were very good. The Principal, Mr. James Canada, is a very hard worker, and success to the good fellow.

The farmers are hard at work and are discussing the political issues of the day.

### J. G. L. JR.

The farmers here are somewhat cheered up as to the prices of cotton.

Corn fine; yes, very nice. Some of our farmers speak of cultivating tobacco next year.

Mr. William Core has been sick, but we are glad to know he is better.

Mr. Bell left a few days since for Greensboro, where he will visit some friends and go on to Asheville. Mr. Bell is a good fellow, and he comes home often to see his best girl at postoffice.

Mr. S. B. Lee is speaking of going to Dunn to do business. We will regret to see Mr. Lee leave us as he is clever citizen.

J. G. Layton, Jr., leaves to-day for Latta, S. C., where he will do business for Mr. G. L. Anthony. Success to him and his business. Mr. Layton seems to be building. I cannot account for his leaving unless his girl has gone back on him, or he is looking up a new one.

The funeral of Mr. Lewis Jernigan was preached last Sunday, June 19th, at 11 o'clock, at his father's old home, Martin Jernigan. Mr. Jernigan was a member of the Farmers' Alliance, and Alliance ceremonies were performed at the grave of the deceased brother.

Mr. J. D. Butler, of Giles' Mills, leaves soon to work for a Northern Nursery Company. We will wish Mr. Butler every success, as he is a very clever gentleman, and a good one to keep up life.

### Subscribers.

Messrs. Eddie Parker and W. C. Newton, who have just returned from Wake Forest College, are visiting their many relatives and friends in this community.

We hope Mr. Fife will visit Clinton again, as we saw in your paper a short time ago.

The crops in this section are very good, but they are in much need of rain.

The people of this section are feeling very bad over the low price of turpentine, as it is the most general way they get their money.

There was quite a success made of the Children's Day at Lishon Sunday School on the second Sunday in this month.

Mr. W. C. Newton delivered an address of welcome. After which he received a large and tastefully arranged bouquet. He is the son of the Missionary who is now in Africa.

### BILL.

We have a girl in this vicinity who has won a gold medal and caught three beavers during the last month. If she keeps on gaining that way she will be rich.

Our gardens are very nice in McDaniels, but nothing to compare with Mr. L's in Honeycutt's. He says he has thrown away five wagon loads of plants, and has some to spare yet. It takes him to tell 'em. We think he has been using Alliance gumano.

We see in The Caucasian a few weeks ago where "Gil" of Dismal, has found some kicking girls. We are not acquainted with those girls, but probably he is.

### WHO OWNS THEM.

If the Railroads were owned by the government, not one half of the partisan press of North Carolina or the United States would be able to continue. The partisan press is virtually owned by the monopolies of which the Railroads are the chief. Give your support to those papers that are not controlled by these syndicates, to assist in fighting the battle for reform.—Special Informer.

## WEBSTER ON POLK.

[Webster's Weekly.]

The death of Col. Polk carries sorrow to millions of hearts throughout our beloved land.

He has been for years one of our most prominent men in our public life. As president of the great industrial organization the country has ever seen, he wielded an influence second to that of no man in the United States.

He was honored and loved by the tillers of the soil and the laboring people in general as well as to him as their leader, champion and friend, the one who was to lead them to victory over their enemies. They were proud of him, recognizing in him a man who was able to cope with the greatest of their adversaries. They honored him for his greatness, his sterling character, his pure heart, his lofty patriotism—and above all, for his warm friendship for the toiling masses.

The life of Col. Polk was indeed an eventful one and it would be interesting to trace it through all its vicissitudes and changes. He was a self-made man. He had to contend with and overcome great difficulties before he reached the honorable position that he held at the time of his death. Success did not crown all his efforts, and for a good part of his life the struggle for existence was a hard one.

But his trials and disappointments served a good purpose in preparing him for the great work of his life. He learned to sympathize with the trials of others. His struggle with poverty and adversity drew out and developed the best qualities of his nature. He could never have fought so valiantly and pleaded so eloquently for the rights of the people if he had not been touched with a deep feeling of their infirmities. Had he been successful as a business man he would probably never have devoted his talents to economic problems and the triumph of reform would have been delayed for years. Failure is sometimes better than success. Fortunate is the man who has trials if he can overcome them, for they serve to purify and refine the gold in his character.

Col. Polk's greatest distinction in the eyes of the world rests upon his work in connection with the Farmers' Alliance. The greater part of his life was really spent in preparation for this great work. His struggle with poverty taught him self-reliance, earnestness, courage, and prepared his heart to sympathize with the misfortunes of others. It taught him the dignity of manual labor. He learned the great truth of the brotherhood of man in the school of experience. Yes, he learned that we are all brethren, yearning and striving for something higher, and that he is greatest who serves humanity best.

His great success as President of the Alliance was a marvel to many, but it is there really mysterious about it when considered in the light of his many hard years of training and discipline. From whence came his great industry and burning zeal? What made him so grandly eloquent in portraying the wrongs of the people? What made the people hang with bated breath upon his utterances? What gave his words such great weight and turned enemies into friends? Ah, he spoke from the depths of his own experience. His words came from the heart.

The crowning work of Col. Polk's life was his successful crusade against sectionalism. For this he deserves a place in history higher than any other man, perhaps, judging by results.

He was a patriot, who knew no section. His sympathies were as broad as humanity. He was the champion of right and the uncompromising enemy of wrong. He loved the truth for the truth's sake. He was strong in his attachments, and malice was never cherished in his heart. He was a gentleman by nature and training and his dealings with his fellow-men were always on a high plane. As a writer he was forcible and elegant—never blinding. He never mistook mud-slinging for argument nor dealt in personalities. In short, he was a gentleman in all the relations of life—as editor, orator and private citizen.

Col. Polk was treated unjustly by many from whom he had a right to expect justice if not kindness. He was traduced, vilified and slandered, but it was not in his generous heart to return evil for evil. The loyal manner in which his friends stood by him touched him deeply and he carried with him till his death a heart full of gratitude and love toward them.

### Merit Wins.

We desire to say to our citizens, that for years we have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Dr. King's New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and have never handled remedies that sell as well, or that have given such universal satisfaction. We do not hesitate to guarantee them every time, and we stand ready to refund the purchase price, if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These remedies have won their great popularity purely on their merits. For sale by Dr. R. H. Holliday, Druggist, Clinton, and Dr. J. E. Sartre, Mount Olive, N. C.

## Alliance Department.

ALLIANCE NOTES, DISCUSSIONS AND THE DOINGS OF THE VARIOUS LODGES.

[The Caucasian was adopted as the official organ of the Sampson County Alliance at the meeting in January 19th, 1892.]

### AN APPEAL.

RICHMOND, ONSLOW CO., June 13th, 1892.

At a regular meeting of Adams' School-house Alliance, No. 179, held on Saturday, June 11, 1892, a committee was appointed to draw up an appeal and to investigate the loss of Brother Moses Lockamy.

Bro. Lockamy has lost by disease one horse and one mule (all he had) within two weeks. Bro. Lockamy is a true member of the Alliance, a first-class farmer, and has a wife and several children, and as much as the above named lodge has responded to the call of other appeals, I have never.

appealed to the Brotherhood for aid before, we beg of you to read this appeal before your lodge, and we know you will respond to the call. Any amount thankfully received. Please don't fail to give this notice in your lodge, and we will, as we have ever done before, respond to the call of others. The committee reports Bro. Lockamy's loss to be \$200. You will please send all contributions to F. D. Shaw, Secretary of Adams' School-house Alliance, No. 179, Richmond, Onslow county, N. C.

Fraternally,  
STARKER COX,  
W. L. COX,  
J. A. HUFFMAN,  
Approved, Committee.  
C. KOONCE, Pres't.  
J. M. FRANCES, Co. President.  
Progressive Farmer copy.

### THE SILVER CONFERENCE.

How a Debt Should be Discharged.

The National Silver Conference recently held in Washington, organized a bi-metallic league, to be continued till free coinage of silver shall be restored. A. J. Warner, of Ohio, who was president of the convention, was also elected president of the league. The following resolutions were passed:

Whereas, With the single gold standard, relief from the evils of continued falling prices is impossible, and

Whereas, The restoration of the bi-metallic standard, with coinage of both metals on equal terms, lies at the foundation of all economic reform, therefore

Resolved, That the free and unlimited coinage of silver on equal terms with that of gold, and on the ratio now established by law, is the paramount issue before the American people to-day, and shall not be suppressed.

Resolved, That we, in answer to the demand for honest money, declare that the debtor will have discharged his full duty to his creditor by paying to him such money as was full legal tender at the time the debt was contracted.

Resolved, That we will not support for a legislative or executive office any candidate who is not thoroughly committed by platform and declaration to the restoration of the monetary system violently disturbed by the legislation demoralizing silver in 1873.

Resolved, That while we would hail with joy the co-operation of other nations in the restoration of silver to its proper monetary position, yet we demand that the United States right the wrong it has perpetrated upon the producing and industrial classes without regard to the action of other nations.

Commenting on the above resolutions and the conference, Hon. A. J. Streeter says: "Is it not time to quit the foolishness of calling international conventions every few years, which to ask other nations to help us make some money to relieve our distress?"

I know of no other nation that cares a snap about our money of account. They make their own money out of what they please without consulting with us. Are we not a nation large enough to do the same? Are we not now the greatest nation on the earth? Yes, in all the elements of inherent wealth, productive energy and surplus of productions we are more than the equal of the two largest nations in Europe. We now manufacture more than the united kingdom of Great Britain; that was the greatest manufacturing nation on the earth. Our annual increase in population is greater than the combined increase of England, France and Germany. And yet, here we are on bended knees supplicating lesser nations to help us make money out of our own silver products. In short, the only element now lacking to make us a great and prosperous people is statesmanship.

C. A. Thompson, Seymour, Ind., writes: "My sister Jennie, when she was a young girl, suffered from white swelling, which greatly impaired her general health and made her blood very impure. In the spring she was not able to do anything and could scarcely get about. More than a year ago she took three bottles of Botanic Blood-Balm, and now she is perfectly cured."

## FORGETTING.

Dr. Talmage, in his last sermon, said:

A sin forgetting God that is clear beyond, and far above a sin pardoning God. How often we hear it said: "I can forgive but I cannot forget." That is equal to saying: "I verbally admit it is all right, but I will keep the old grudge good." Human forgiveness is often a flimsy affair. It does not go deep down. It does not reach as up. It does not do things up. The contestant may shake hands, or pressing each other on the highway, they may spend the "Good Morning" or the "Good Night," but the old enmity never returns. The relations always remain strained. There is something in the demeanor ever after that seems to say: "I would not do you harm; indeed, I wish you well, but that unfortunate affair can never pass out of my mind." There may be no hard words passed between them, but until death breaks in the same coolness remains. But God lets our pardoned offenses go into oblivion. He never throws them up to us again. He feels as kindly towards us as though we had been spotless and positively angelical all along.

YOU CAN TRACE IT TO WALL STREET.

Ex Gov. St. John in his speech in Raleigh recently had the following to say about free coinage of silver:

"I will remark incidentally that I am in favor of free coinage of silver. Whenever you find any opposition to it, nine cases out of ten you can trace it to Wall Street. I never knew a government to have too much silver. Did you? I never knew an individual being injured by silver. I never saw one. If the money for which Judas Iscariot betrayed Christ was here to night we could go out into a bakery and buy bread with it. Anything that stays with the people for hundreds of years is good enough for the people, and we are going to have it, too, before the fight is over."

"I would have the law amended that every dollar, whether it be greenback, gold or silver, should be upon an equality before the law for all purposes. I would do away with every discrimination in favor of gold as against silver or greenbacks. Every discrimination in favor of gold against silver has been to the extent of that discrimination, legalized robbery of the great body of the people of this country."

### THE DESTRUCTIVE FORCES OF NATURE.

The havoc produced by the recent storms remind us how impotent man is in the presence of the great forces of nature when they exhibit themselves in their strength. Lightning demolishes buildings in Spain and destroys many lives. In Austria a wind-storm blows a train of cars down the side of a mountain into a raging torrent, killing most of the passengers.

At many points in this country floods and furious winds are daily exhibiting their destructive powers. The storm of yesterday, for example, produced sad results in Iowa, Indiana and Illinois. New Orleans reports levees destroyed along the Mississippi and crops submerged. The Oil City horror is fresh in our memory. If we add to the casualties produced by wild nature, those produced by explosions, collisions of trains and by other natural forces harnessed by man to do his work, we shall have a frightful total.—Baltimore Sun.

### A Safe Investment.

Is one which is guaranteed to bring you satisfactory results, or in case of failure a return of purchase price. On this safe plan you can buy from our verified Druggist a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. It is guaranteed to bring relief in every case, when used for any affection of Throat, Lungs or Chest, such as Consumption, Inflammation of Lungs, Bronchitis, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Croup, etc. It is pleasant and agreeable to taste, perfectly safe, and can always be depended upon. Trial bottles free at Dr. R. H. Holliday's Druggery, Clinton, and Dr. J. E. Sartre, Druggist, Mt. Olive, N. C.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Dr. Boykin's Worm Killer.

THE MOST RELIABLE WORM DESTROYER IN USE.

Receipts furnished to any Regular Physician when Requested.

We have never asked for a certificate. We have asked for the strongest ever given—all, ent without solicitation. The Vermifuge the best in the market. The price is low as any other worm medicine. Read a few of the many evidences of its great merit.

LA GRANGE, N. C., July '87. Mr. J. P. Boykin: I gave my child one dose of Boykin's "Worm Killer" purchased of you. It brought 300 worms. I consider it the best worm medicine made. Respectfully,  
J. W. THOMAS.

Price Only 25 Cents per Bottle. Do not let your Druggist or General Dealer put you off with some OTHER. Ask for Boykin's Worm Killer and get it. Any M. D. can prescribe it and many do.

BOYKIN, CARMER & CO., Nos. 11 & 13 N. Liberty St., Richmond-24 Baltimore, Md.

### LADIES.

Needing a tonic, or children that want building up, should take BROWN'S IRON BITTERS. It is pleasant to take, cures Malaria, Indigestion, and Biliousness. All dealers keep it.

## NEW DOUBLE COLUMN ADVERTISEMENTS.



"When you are gittin, git five for ten," says I.

"Them's my sentiments," says you.

OLD VIRGINIA CHEROOTS

Fill the Bill.

Rich, Mild and Sweet.

Five for Ten Cents.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

### ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

Wilmington and Weldon Railroad

AND BRANCHES.

Condensed Schedule

### TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

DATED	No. 83.	No. 27.
date 23, 1892.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Weldon	12:30 p. m.	5:42 p. m.
Ar. Rocky Mt.	1:40 "	6:52 p. m.

Ar. Tarboro	*2:10 p. m.	
Lv. Tarboro	12:55 p. m.	6:00 p. m.
Ar. Wilson	2:18 p. m.	7:00 p. m.
Lv. W. N.	*2:30 p. m.	
Ar. Selma	3:30 p. m.	
Ar. Fayetteville	5:30 p. m.	

Lv. Goldsboro	3:15 p. m.	7:40 p. m.
Lv. Warsaw	4:14 p. m.	
Lv. Mendenhall	4:27 p. m.	8:40 p. m.
Ar. Weldon	6:00 p. m.	9:55 p. m.

### TRAINS GOING NORTH.

DATED	No. 14.	No. 67.
date 23, 1892.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	2:10 a. m.	9:15 a. m.
Ar. Magnolia	3:17 a. m.	10:27 a. m.
Lv. Warsaw	4:11 a. m.	11:11 a. m.
Ar. Goldsboro	4:33 a. m.	12:05 p. m.

Lv. Fayetteville	*9:10 a. m.	
Ar. Selma	11:08 a. m.	
Ar. Weldon	12:10 p. m.	
Lv. Wilson	5:14 a. m.	12:58 p. m.
Ar. Rocky Mt.	5:37 a. m.	1:30 p. m.
Ar. Tarboro	*6:30 a. m.	2:18 p. m.
Lv. Tarboro		12:58 p. m.
Ar. Weldon	6:35 a. m.	2:55 p. m.

\*Daily except Sunday.  
Trains on Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 4 p. m., Halifax 4:22 p. m., arrive Scotland Neck 5:15 p. m., Greenville 6:52 p. m., Return, leave Scotland Neck 7:10 a. m., Greenville 8:25 a. m., arriving Halifax 11:00 a. m., Weldon 11:25 a. m., daily except Sunday.

Local freight trains leave Weldon Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 10:15 p. m., arriving Scotland Neck 11:00 p. m., Greenville 5:30 p. m., Kingston 7:40 p. m., Return, leave Kingston Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7:20 a. m., Greenville 9:55 a. m., Scotland Neck 12:20 p. m., arriving Weldon 1:30 p. m., daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Tarboro, N. C., via Albemarle and Raleigh R. R. daily except Sunday 4:40 p. m., Sunday 3:00 p. m., arrive Weldon, N. C., 7:18 p. m., and 4:20 p. m., Plymouth 8:30 p. m., and 4:20 p. m., returning leave Fayetteville, N. C., daily except Sunday 6:00 p. m., and 11:20 a. m., arriving Weldon 11:00 a. m., and 12:00 p. m., respectively.

Trains on Midland N. C. Branch leave Fayetteville, N. C., daily except Sunday 6:00 p. m., arriving Weldon, N. C., 7:30 a. m., returning leave Weldon, N. C., 8:00 a. m., arriving Fayetteville, N. C., 9:30 a. m.

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